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PETITION PURSUANT TO 37 CFR § 1.183

Sir:

Pursuant to 37 CFR § 1.183, Applicants respectfully request that the Commissioner waive 37 CFR § 3.81 to allow the correct Assignee names to be indicated on the above-identified patent.

The above-identified patent issued with one Assignee named, The Scripps Research Institute of La Jolla, CA.

CERTIFICATION UNDER 37 CFR §1.8

I hereby certify that the documents referred to as enclosed herein are being deposited with the United States Postal Service as first class mail on this date, September 29, 2006, in an envelope addressed to: Mail Stop PETITION, Commissioner for Patents, P.O. Box 1450, Alexandria, VA 22313-1450.

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There are actually two assignees for this patent. The second assignee should be indicated on the above-identified patent as follows:

The University of Southern California of Los Angeles, CA

The failure to include the correct assignee name on Form PTOL-85B at the time of issue fee payment was inadvertent and without deceptive intent.

Enclosed are photocopies of the Notices of Recordation of Assignment Document for both assignees, specifically The Scripps Research Institute and The University of Southern California. Both Notices of Recordation of Assignment Document were both recorded on January 14, 2002. The reel and frame numbers for the assignment recordation of The Scripps Research Institute are Reel 012496, Frame 0925. The reel and frame numbers for the assignment recordation of The University of Southern California are Reel 012484, Frame 0623.

In view of the foregoing, Applicants request that the Commissioner waive the requirements of 37 CFR § 3.81 to permit issuance of a Certificate of Correction to add The University of Southern California as a second assignee for this patent.

It is respectfully requested that the file be forwarded to the Certificates of Correction Branch for issuance of a Certificate of Correction if the Commissioner decides that this petition be granted. For the Commissioner's convenience, the Certificate of Correction Form (PTO Form SB/44) and associated fee are enclosed.

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Enclosed is Check No. 583390 in the total amount of \$230.00; which consists of \$130.00 for the petition fee as required by 37 CFR § 1.183 and 37 CFR § 1.17(h) and \$100.00 for the Certificate of Correction fee as required by 37 CFR § 1.323 and 37 CFR § 1.20(a). The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge any other fees associated with the filing submitted herewith, or credit any overpayments to Deposit Account No. 07-1896.

Respectfully submitted,

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